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## Mail Stop Patent Application

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**Re:** New Patent Application of: Toshikazu MIZUKOSHI

**Title:** METHOD OF FABRICATING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE  
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Please find attached hereto an application for patent which includes:

- [x] Specification, Claims and Abstract (22 Pages)
- [x] 6 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Fig. 1A through Fig. 6B)
- [x] Inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 Pages)
- [x] Assignment document with cover page (2 Pages)
- [x] Claim for priority and the Priority document
- [x] Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and copies of five references
- [x] Fee (see formula below)

Basic Fee \$750/375

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Additional Fees:

Total number of claims: 9

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Number of independent claims: 1

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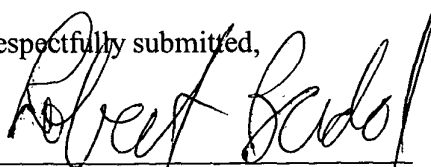
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The rights of priority are claimed under 35 USC §119 of Japanese Application No. 2002-314052, filed October 29, 2002.

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